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April 30, 2020

The Honorable J. Paul Oetken United States District Judge Southern District of New York Thurgood Marshall United States Courthouse 40 Foley Square New York, NY 10007

Re: United States v. David Middendorf, et al., 18 Cr. 36 (JPO)

Dear Judge Oetken:

On behalf of our client, Thomas Whittle and the government, we respectfully and jointly request that Mr. Whittle's sentencing, which is currently scheduled for May 19, 2020 at 11 a.m., be adjourned *sine die*, given the current pandemic that has led to the postponement of most proceedings in the District.

Granted. The order for an expedited Presentence Investigation Report as to defendant Thomas Whittle is hereby vacated. The May 19, 2020 sentencing is adjourned sine die. The parties are directed to submit a status letter by July 10, 2020.

So ordered. April 30, 2020 Respectfully Submitted,

/s/____

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United States District Judge